Library Privileges: Online Access

Privileges to use VCU Libraries and VCU School of Pharmacy (SOP) resources are granted to officially appointed affiliate faculty preceptors who continue to be available to precept VCUSOP students and who obtain a V# (Banner ID), VCU eID, and password. After obtaining your unique V#, your VCU eID and password authenticates your access to and use of these resources.

**Step 1:** Obtain a V# (Banner ID) by completing the Personal Data Form (link) and returning it to OEE@vcu.edu

**Step 2:** Request your VCU eID (http://www.ts.vcu.edu/askit/email/eid/eid-finder/) and establish your password by following the steps provided.

**eID Password Information:**
- **Requirements** – Click http://www.ts.vcu.edu/askit/email/eid/eid-password-rules/ for a list of requirements for creating your eID password.
- **Expiration** – VCU eID passwords must be changed periodically. The initial password expires after a minimum of 90 days.

### VCU Library Resources

Preceptors with a VCU eID and password have access for academic purposes to resources provided by VCU Libraries, including the Tompkins-McCaw Library for the Health Sciences, such as:
- Databases
- Journals
- Medline/PubMed

Go to: [www.library.vcu.edu](http://www.library.vcu.edu) > Research

In addition, special pharmacy-focused Research Guides are available, such as:
- Community-Based Participatory Research
- Drug Information Resources
- Patient Safety
- Pharmacy & Pharmacotherapy

Go to: [www.library.vcu.edu](http://www.library.vcu.edu) > Research > Research Guides > Pharmacy

Other library resources:
- Interlibrary Loan & Document Delivery Services (ILLiad) - to request books, articles, etc. remotely
- Media Presentation Materials: TML Multimedia Collaboration Room

### VCU School of Pharmacy

Preceptors with a VCU eID and password also have access for academic purposes to resources provided by VCUSOP, including:
- Facts & Comparisons eAnswers
- Lexicomp On-line

Go to: [www.pharmacy.vcu.edu](http://www.pharmacy.vcu.edu) > Resources > Faculty, Preceptors, & Staff